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FM AMEMBASSY MAPUTO

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CAPETOWN FOR EMBASSY

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, MZ, RH

SUBJ: MOZAMBIQUE PRESS ON RHODESIA

1. FOR THE PAST FEW WEEKS THE MOZAMBIQUE PRESS HAS BEEN PREOCCUPIED WITH PREPARATIONS FOR UPCOMING PARTY CONGRESS, TO EXCLUSION OF ALMOST ALL OTHER NEWS. REPORTING ON DEVELOPMENTS RE RHODESIA AND SOUTHERN AFRICA HAS BEEN MINIMAL, AND LARGELY TAKEN DIRECTLY FROM WIRE-SERVICE REPORTS.

2. FOLLOWING DEVELOPMENTS HAVE RECEIVED MINIMAL FRONT-PAGE ATTENTION:

-SMITH'S REJECTION OF LATEST BRITISH PROPOSAL. ACCORDING NOTICIAS DA BEIRA THE REJECTION SEEMS TO HAVE DESTROYED WHAT-EVER CHANCES THERE WERE OF ATTAINING INDEPENDENCE BY PEACEFUL
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MEANS.

- SUBSEQUENT APPEAL BY THE PATRIOTIC FRONT TO "ALL THOSE WHO DESIRE A MAJORITY GOVERNMENT IN RHODESIA" TO SUPPORT THE ARMED STRUGGLE. BOTH NEWSPAPERS CONTEND THIS IS THE "ONLY WAY" LIBERATION WILL BE ACHIEVED.

- ASSASSINATION OF JASON MOYO. IN A CONDOLENCE MESSAGE,
PRESIDENT MACHEL BLAMES CRIME ON "ENEMIES OF ZIMBABWE AND
OF AFRICA," BUT DOES NOT ACCUSE RHODESIAN GOVERNMENT BY NAME.

3. THERE HAS BEEN NO REFERENCE TO FIGHTING ALONG MOZAMBIQUE-
RHODESIAN BORDER SINCE JANUARY 15 NOTICIAS REPORT OF JAN 12 AIR
ATTACK (MAPUTO 53).

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